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"Mr. Minister:

I want to congratulate you and the Spanish people on the successful resolution of the situation in the Cortes. I have the highest admiration for the determination with which the problem was resolved, and I believe that the outcome reflects the strength of Spain's new democratic institutions.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Alexander M. Haig"

His Excellency
José Pedro Pérez-Llorca,
Minister of Foreign Affairs,
Madrid.